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SUBJECT: 34TH HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION--AFRICAN RESOLUTIONS ON SOUTHERN AFRICAN ISSUES, IMPLEMENTATION OF APARTHEID CONVENTION AND WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM

1. SENT BELOW ARE TEXTS OF SIX RESOLUTIONS ON AGENDA ITEMS 6, 7, 14, AND 18. THESE ARE FINAL DRAFT VERSIONS WHICH WILL BE FORMALLY CIRCULATED FEBRUARY 20 AND VOTED UPON BY HRC IN THE AFTERNOON OF FEBRUARY 21. WE WILL SEND OUR DETAILED COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS BY SEPTTEL. HOWEVER, WE ARE AUTHORITATIVELY INFORMED BY SENEGALESE THAT TEXTS WERE DEVELOPED BY THE AFRICANS WITH A VIEW TO COMMANDING BROADEST POSSIBLE SUPPORT AND AT LEAST NO OUTRIGHT OPPOSITION FROM THE WEST. WE REFER DEPT FOR COMPARISON TO 33RD HRC SESSION REPORT (PP. 76-80) ON SOUTHERN AFRICAN ISSUES. TENTATIVE REACTIONS OF UK, CANADA AND FRANCE ARE THAT THEY WILL SEEK INSTRUCTIONS TO ABSTAIN ON RESOLUTIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS 6 AND 7, POSSIBLY MOVING FOR PARA BY PARA VOTES TO NARROW AREAS OF DISAGREEMENT WITH AFRICANS.

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BEGIN TEXTS.

A. AGENDA ITEM 6--VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA: REPORT OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP (EGYPT, IVORY COAST, LESOTHO, LYBIA, NIGERIA, RWANDA, SENEGAL, AND UGANDA: DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.1380)

THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS,

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 6 (XXXIII),

HAVING CONSIDERED THE PROGRESS REPORT OF THE AD HOC  
WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS ESTABLISHED BY ITS RESOLUTION 2  
(XXIII) (E/CN.4/1270),

CONVINCED THAT THE PROCLAMATION OF 1978 AS INTERNATIONAL  
ANTI-APARTHEID YEAR AND THE CELEBRATION IN AUGUST OF THE  
SAME YEAR OF THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND  
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION WILL ALSO CONTRIBUTE TO THE AIMS OF  
THE CONVENTION,

1. EXPRESSES ITS SATISFACTION TO THE AD HOC WORKING  
GROUP OF EXPERTS FOR THE PROGRESS REPORT WHICH IT HAS  
SUBMITTED;

2. REAFFIRMS THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLES OF  
SOUTH AFRICA, NAMIBIA AND ZIMBABWE TO SELF-DETERMINATION  
AND INDEPENDENCE AND THE RIGHT TO ENJOY ALL THE RIGHTS  
RECOGNIZED IN THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS  
AND THE VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS ON HUMAN  
RIGHTS;

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3. PROTESTS INDIGNANTLY AGAINST THE INHUMAN TREATMENT  
OF THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS ARRESTED BY THE RACIST REGIME  
IN SOUTH AFRICA AND THE ILLEGAL AND MINORITY REGIME IN  
ZIMBABWE;

4. DENOUNCES THE ILL-TREATMENT OF PRISONERS IN SOUTH  
AFRICA, NAMIBIA AND ZIMBABWE, IN PARTICULAR THE DEATHS  
OF PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO BRUTALITY BY THE  
POLICE ON THE OCCASION OF PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATIONS  
AGAINST APARTHEID SINCE THE SOWETO MASSACRE;

5. VEHEMENTLY CONDEMNS THE CRIMINAL ACTS COMMITTED BY  
THE SOUTH AFRICAN AUTHORITIES ON CHILDREN PROTESTING  
AGAINST APARTHEID;

6. TAKES NOTE OF THE LIST OF PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN  
GUILTY IN NAMIBIA OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID OR OF A  
SERIOUS VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, AS CONTAINED IN THE  
PROGRESS REPORT OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS  
(E/CN.4/1270);

7. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO BRING THIS LIST

TO THE ATTENTION OF STATES, THE COMPETENT UNITED NATIONS BODIES, INCLUDING THE GROUP OF THREE ESTABLISHED UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE SUPPRESSION AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID;

8. ENDORSES THE DECLARATION AND PROGRAMME OF ACTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON THE ERADICATION OF APARTHEID AND IN SUPPORT OF THE STRUGGLE FOR LIBERATION IN SOUTH AFRICA, HELD IN HAVANA IN 1976, AND THE DECLARATION AND THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION OF THE WORLD CONFERENCE FOR ACTION AGAINST APARTHEID, HELD IN LAGOS IN 1977;

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9. REQUESTS THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS TO CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN CLOSE COOPERATION WITH THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGAINST APARTHEID IN THE INVESTIGATION OF GROSS VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN SOUTH AFRICA, ESPECIALLY WITH A VIEW TO ENSURING THAT ANY DEVELOPMENTS REQUIRING URGENT ACTION ARE DRAWN TO THE ATTENTION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

B. AGENDA ITEM 6--VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA: REPORT OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS (EGYPT, LESOTHO, LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA, NIGERIA, SENEGAL, SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC, UGANDA: DRAFT RESOLUTION (L.1378)  
INTERNATIONAL YEAR FOR ACTION AGAINST APARTHEID

THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

RECALLING GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 32/105 B BY WHICH

IT PROCLAIMED THE YEAR BEGINNING ON 21 MARCH 1978 AS  
INTERNATIONAL ANTI-APARTHEID YEAR,

BEARING IN MIND THE PURPOSES AND OBJECTIVES OF THE ANTI-  
APARTHEID YEAR,  
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AWARE THAT GROSS VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS CONTINUE  
UNABATED IN SOUTH AFRICA, AS EVIDENCED IN THE REPORT  
OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS ON SOUTHERN  
AFRICA (E/CN.4/1286),

1. DECIDES TO PARTICIPATE ACTIVELY IN THE LAUNCHING OF  
THE INTERNATIONAL ANTI-APARTHEID YEAR;
2. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO ORGANIZE A FORMAL  
MEETING AT THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE AT GENEVA ON 21  
MARCH 1978, THE DAY WHEN THE ANTI-APARTHEID YEAR WILL BE  
LAUNCHED AT UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK;
3. DECIDES THAT THE COMMISSION SHOULD BE REPRESENTED AT  
THE MEETING IN GENEVA BY THE CHAIRMAN OF ITS THIRTY-FOURTH  
SESSION, WHO SHOULD BE INVITED TO ADDRESS THE MEETING;
4. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO INVITE THE HEADS OF  
SPECIALISED AGENCIES IN GENEVA TO PARTICIPATE IN THE  
MEETING.

C. AGENDA ITEM 7--THE ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES FOR THE  
ENJOYMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS OF POLITICAL, MILITARY,  
ECONOMIC AND OTHER FORMS OF ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO COLONIAL  
AND RACIST REGIMES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA (EGYPT, LESOTHO,  
LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA, NIGERIA, RWANDA, SENEGAL,  
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC AND UGANDA); DRAFT RESOLUTION  
(L.1375)  
THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS,

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTIONS 3 (XXX), 6 (XXXII) AND 7  
(XXXIII), AS WELL AS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL RESOLU-  
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TION 1864 (LVI) AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 31/33,

HAVING CONSIDERED THE REPORT OF MR. AHMED KHALIFA,  
SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON PREVENTION

OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF MINORITIES ON THE  
ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES FOR THE ENJOYMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS  
OF POLITICAL, MILITARY, ECONOMIC AND OTHER FORMS OF  
ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO COLONIAL AND RACIST REGIMES IN  
SOUTHERN AFRICA (E/CN.4/SUB.2/383),

1. EXPRESSES ITS APPRECIATION TO THE SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR  
FOR HIS PIONEERING STUDY;

2. REQUESTS THE SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR TO UNDERTAKE A FINAL  
REVISION OF HIS REPORT AND UPDATE IT AS NECESSARY BEFORE  
ITS SUBMISSION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTY-THIRD  
SESSION, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS  
MADE IN THE SUB-COMMISSION AT ITS THIRTIETH SESSION AND  
IN THE COMMISSION AT THE PRESENT SESSION;

3. RECOMMENDS TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL THAT  
THE REPORT OF THE SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR BE PRINTED IN ITS  
FINAL FORM AND GIVEN WIDE DISTRIBUTION;

4. FURTHER RECOMMENDS TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL  
COUNCIL THAT THE SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR BE INVITED TO PRESENT  
HIS REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTY-THIRD  
SESSION AND TO ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY AT  
WHICH IT IS DISCUSSED;

5. TAKES NOTE OF THE DECISION OF THE SUB-COMMISSION IN  
PARAGRAPH 5 OF ITS RESOLUTION 1 (XXX) TO INVITE THE  
SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR TO PREPARE THE NECESSARY MATERIAL FOR  
A PROVISIONAL GENERAL LIST IDENTIFYING THOSE WHOSE  
ACTIVITIES CONSTITUTE ASSISTANCE TO THE COLONIAL AND  
RACIST REGIMES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA, AS REQUESTED IN  
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COMMISSION RESOLUTION 7 (XXXIII), AND LOOKS FORWARD TO RECEIVING AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE THE RESULTS OF THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMISSION IN THIS MATTER.

D. AGENDA ITEM 14--IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE SUPPRESSION AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID (EGYPT, LESOTHO, LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA, NIGERIA, SENEGAL, SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC, UGANDA: DRAFT RESOLUTION) (L.1379)

THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS,

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 13 (XXXIII) IN WHICH IT WELCOMED THE ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE SUPPRESSION AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID AND REQUESTED THE GROUP OF THREE-- APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE IX OF THE CONVENTION TO MEET BEFORE THE THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION,

HAVING CONSIDERED THE REPORT OF THE GROUP OF THREE (E/CN.4/1286),

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1. TAKES NOTE WITH APPRECIATION OF THE REPORT OF THE GROUP, IN PARTICULAR THE GENERAL GUIDELINES PROPOSED BY THE GROUP CONCERNING THE FORM AND CONTENTS OF REPORTS TO BE SUBMITTED BY STATES PARTIES UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE CONVENTION;
2. REQUESTS STATE PARTIES TO TAKE THE GUIDELINES FULLY INTO ACCOUNT IN SUBMITTING THEIR REPORTS UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE CONVENTION;
3. CALLS UPON THE STATES PARTIES TO SUBMIT THEIR FIRST REPORT UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE CONVENTION NOT LATER THAN TWO YEARS AFTER BECOMING PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION AND THEIR PERIODIC REPORTS AT TWO-YEARLY INTERVALS, WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THEY MAY SUBMIT ADDITIONAL

INFORMATION TO THE GROUP AT ANY TIME THEY WISH IN THE INTERVENING PERIOD;

4. COMMENDS THOSE STATE PARTIES THAT HAVE SUBMITTED THEIR REPORTS AND URGES OTHER STATES PARTIES TO SUBMIT THEIRS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;

5. APPEALS TO ALL STATES THAT ARE NOT YET PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION TO RATIFY OR ACCEDE TO IT;

6. CALLS UPON COMPETENT UNITED NATIONS ORGANS TO PROVIDE TO THE COMMISSION THROUGH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL INFORMATION RELEVANT TO THE PREPARATION OF THE LIST OF INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS, INSTITUTIONS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF STATES ALLEGED TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CRIMES ENUMERATED IN ARTICLE II OF THE CONVENTION, AS WELL AS THOSE AGAINST WHOM LEGAL PROCEEDINGS HAVE BEEN UNDERTAKEN BY STATES PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION;  
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7. FURTHER CALLS UPON THE COMPETENT UNITED NATIONS ORGANS TO PROVIDE TO THE COMMISSION THROUGH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL INFORMATION CONCERNING MEASURES TAKEN BY THE AUTHORITIES RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF TRUST AND NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES, AND ALL OTHER TERRITORIES TO WHICH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV) OF 14 DECEMBER 1960 APPLIES, WITH REGARD TO SUCH INDIVIDUALS ALLEGED TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CRIMES UNDER ARTICLE II OF THE CONVENTION WHO ARE BELIEVED TO BE UNDER THEIR TERRITORIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE JURISDICTION;

8. FURTHER REQUESTS UNITED NATIONS ORGANS, WHEN TRANSMITTING COPIES OF PETITIONS TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION UNDER ARTICLE 15 OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, TO DRAW THE ATTENTION OF THE COMMITTEE THROUGH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO COMPLAINTS CONCERNING ACTS ENUMERATED IN ARTICLE II OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE SUPPRESSION AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID;

9. DECIDES TO MAINTAIN ON ITS AGENDA AS A STANDING ITEM THE QUESTION ENTITLED "IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE SUPPRESSION AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID."

E. AGENDA ITEM 18 B--WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (L.1376)

THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS,

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REITERATING ITS FIRM CONVICTION THAT RACISM AND RACIAL  
DISCRIMINATION ARE THE TOTAL NEGATION OF THE PURPOSES  
AND PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND  
THAT THEY MILITATE AGAINST HUMAN PROGRESS, PEACE AND  
JUSTICE,

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 1 (XXIX) BY WHICH IT SUBMITTED  
THE DRAFT PROGRAMME FOR A DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT  
RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION TO THE ECONOMIC AND  
SOCIAL COUNCIL FOR SUBMISSION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

MINDFUL OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3057 (XXVIII)  
WHICH DESIGNATED THE TEN YEAR PERIOD BEGINNING ON 10  
DECEMBER 1973 AS THE DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT RACISM  
AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND APPROVED THE PROGRAMME FOR  
THE DECADE,

NOTING GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 32/10 IN WHICH THE  
ASSEMBLY URGES THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANS, SPECIALIZED  
AGENCIES AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL  
AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS TO STRENGTHEN AND  
ENLARGE THE SCOPE OF THEIR ACTIVITIES IN SUPPORT OF  
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THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAMME FOR THE DECADE, IN PARTICULAR BY, INTER ALIA, OFFERING ALL ASSISTANCE TO AND CO-OPERATING WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO ENSURE THE SUCCESS OF THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION,

WELCOMING GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 32/129 WHICH REQUESTED THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO INVITE THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS TO ATTEND THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AS OBSERVER,

HAVING CONSIDERED THE REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF MINORITIES AT ITS THIRTIETH SESSION (E/CN.4/1261),

1. DESIGNATES THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS ON SOUTHERN AFRICA TO REPRESENT THE COMMISSION AT THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION TO BE HELD IN GENEVA FROM 14 TO 25 AUGUST 1978;

2. COMMENDS RESOLUTION 3 (XXX) OF THE SUB-COMMISSION BY WHICH THE SUB-COMMISSION DECIDED TO CONSIDER, AS A MAJOR PART OF ITS OWN CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DECADE, WAYS

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AND MEANS OF USING NATIONAL COURTS, ADMINISTRATIVE

TRIBUNALS AND DOMESTIC FORUMS, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE FORUMS, TO HELP IMPLEMENT UNITED NATIONS RESOLUTIONS ON RACISM, RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, APARTHEID, DECOLONIZATION AND SELF-DETERMINATION AND RELATED MATTERS;

3. WELCOMES THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE WORKING GROUP OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF MINORITIES AND ADOPTED BY THE SUB-COMMISSION AS CONTAINED IN PARAGRAPH 75 OF THE SUB-COMMISSION'S REPORT ON ITS THIRTIETH SESSION (E/CN.4/1261);

4. SUGGESTS THAT THE WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION SHOULD CONSIDER THE ADOPTION OF MEASURES CONTAINING THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS:

(A) ALL STATES WHICH ARE NOT PARTIES TO INTERNATIONAL CONVENTIONS DEALING WITH RACISM, RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND APARTHEID SHOULD CONSIDER, AS A MATTER OF PRIORITY, RATIFYING OR ACCEDING TO THESE INSTRUMENTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;

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(B) THE INCLUSION IN CURRICULA OF EDUCATION OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH OF THE SUBJECT OF HUMAN RIGHTS, WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS, IN THE PRIMARY STAGES OF EDUCATION, ON THE EQUALITY OF ALL HUMAN BEINGS AND THE EVILS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION;

(C) THE DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL PROGRAMMES GUARANTEEING ACCESS TO EDUCATION INCLUDING HIGHER EDUCATION FOR ALL CITIZENS;

(D) THE USE OF AVAILABLE INFORMATION MEDIA TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC CONTINUOUSLY AND SYSTEMATICALLY IN THE SPIRIT OF RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND, IN PARTICULAR, AGAINST ALL POLICIES, PRACTICES AND MANIFESTATIONS OF RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION;

(E) STRENGTHENING THE HUMAN RIGHTS ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAMME: EDUCATION, TRAINING AND DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ARE VITAL IF THE ROOT CAUSES OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND OTHER VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS ARE TO BE ELIMINATED;

(F) INCREASING ASSISTANCE TO THE LIBERATION MOVEMENTS; AND GREATER PRESSURE ON GOVERNMENTS AND TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS WHOSE CO-OPERATION WITH SOUTH AFRICA IS

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HINDERING THE RAPID REALIZATION OF RACIAL EQUALITY IN  
SOUTHERN AFRICA CALLED FOR BY NUMEROUS UNITED NATIONS  
RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS RELATING TO SOUTHERN AFRICA;

(G) DENIAL OF ANY SUPPORT OR ASSISTANCE TO RACIST  
REGIMES THAT COULD ENABLE THEM TO PERPETUATE RACIST  
POLICIES OR PRACTICES, INCLUDING POLICIES AIMED AT  
DEPRIVING PEOPLE OF THEIR INALIENABLE RIGHTS;

(H) RECOMMENDING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT CONSIDERA-  
TION BE GIVEN TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL  
FUND ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS WITH A VIEW TO IMPLEMENTING  
THE PROGRAMME FOR THE DECADE;

(I) PROVISION FOR IMPROVED CO-OPERATION AS WELL AS  
CO-ORDINATION WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS FAMILY INCLUDING  
REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMISSIONS WITH A VIEW TO THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME FOR THE DECADE AND THE  
TOTAL ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION.

5. APPEALS IN PARTICULAR TO THE CONFERENCE:

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(A) TO RECOMMEND THE ESTABLISHMENT AT NATIONAL AND

LOCAL LEVELS OF RECOURSE PROCEDURES TO BE INVOKED AGAINST ANY ACTS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION WHICH MAY BE SUFFERED BY AN INDIVIDUAL AND WHICH VIOLATE HIS HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS;

(B) TO REQUEST THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO INVITE GOVERNMENTS TO INCLUDE IN THEIR REPORTS TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE PROGRAMME FOR THE DECADE A CONCISE ACCOUNT OF RECOURSE PROCEDURES WHICH CAN BE INVOKED AGAINST ANY ACTS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION WHICH MAY BE SUFFERED BY AN INDIVIDUAL AND WHICH VIOLATES HIS HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS.

(USDEL NOTES THAT ABOVE DEVELOPED BY AUSTRALIA AND NIGERIA AND SEEMS LIKELY TO HAVE BROAD THIRD WORLD CO-SPONSORSHIP.)

F. AGENDA ITEM 6--VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA: REPORT OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS (DRAFT DECISION SUBMITTED BY THE CHAIRMAN)(L.1373)

ORGANIZATION OF A SYMPOSIUM IN SOUTHERN AFRICA IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTIONS 5 (XXXI), 8 (XXXII) AND 6 (XXXII) OF THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTIONS 5 (XXXI), 8 (XXXII) AND 6 (XXXIII) RELATING TO THE ORGANIZATION IN SOUTHERN AFRICA OF A SYMPOSIUM ON THE ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL EXPLOITATION OF THE BLACKS IN SOUTH AFRICA AND NAMIBIA AND ON PRISON CONDITIONS IN THE SOUTH AFRICAN JAILS, INCLUDING, IN PARTICULAR, THE ROBBEN ISLAND MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISON, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AND NOTING WITH APPRECIATION THE OFFER BY THE GOVERNMENT OF LESOTHO TO ACT AS HOST TO THIS SYMPOSIUM IN ITS TERRITORY IN 1978, THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO MAKE ALL THE NECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF THE SYMPOSIUM IN JULY 1978 WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE MISSION OF INVESTIGATION WHICH THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS IS TO CARRY OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS MANDATE UNDER COMMISSION RESOLUTION 6 (XXXIII). VANDEN HEUVEL

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